

PROPHETSTOWN STATE PARK

Battle Ground, Indiana

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Information Office Hours:

Daily 8:00am-4:00pm

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Interpretive Naturalist: Caroline Powell

NOTE: All programs, hikes, and activities are free of charge and open to the public after payment of the park entrance fee. Children 13 and under must be accompanied by an adult. In case of inclement weather please check at the office for details concerning program changes and cancellations.

HOOSIER QUEST PROGRAM: Ages 5 and up can visit the Park Office every day from 8am-4pm to earn a patch while enjoying the park. Fun for the whole family!

Friday, July 18

10:00am – FRIDAY FLYING FORAY: Join our interpreter for a brief talk on birdwatching basics and then try out your new skills on a walk along the bike trail. The program will be 1 ½ hours long. Meet at the Park Office and bring binoculars and field guides if available.

1:00pm – NOTHING BUT BILLS: Join our interpreter for a fun talk about different bird beak types and what they are used for. Meet at the Meadow View Picnic Area. This program is suitable for kids ages 3 and up. Kids, remember to bring a parent with you!

3:00pm – UN-FROG-ETTABLE: Come and hear about the interesting process that turns a tadpole into a frog! Meet at the Prairie View Picnic Area. This program is suitable for kids ages 3 and up. Kids, remember to bring a parent with you!

Saturday, July 19

4:00pm – BUTTERFLY ROYALTY: Learn about the beautiful monarch butterfly and play some fun butterfly games! This program is suitable for kids ages 5 and up. Kids, remember to bring your parents with you!

6:00pm – NATURALIST ON THE RUN: Our interpreter will be roving the campgrounds. Find her and see what interesting things are going on at Prophetstown.

9:30pm – NIGHT STROLL: Join our naturalist to explore the park after dark! Meet at the Prairie Coneflower Shelter.

Sunday, July 20

10:00am – WETLAND WONDERS: Check out one of Prophetstown's beautiful fens and learn about the importance of preserving wetlands. Meet at the parking lot nearest the pond.

1:00pm – HOOSIER QUEST: Visit the Prairie View Picnic Area to learn about our Discover, Connect, and Explore programs! Fun for individuals and families.

3:00pm – THE PRAIRIE'S STORY: Meet our interpreter at the Meadow View Picnic Area to learn about history of Prophetstown's prairie and what we are doing to ensure its future.

Friday, July 25

10:00am – WHAT IS THAT?: Join our interpreter for a brief talk on birdwatching basics and then try out your new skills on a walk along the bike trail. The program will be 1 ½ hours long. Meet at the Park Office and bring binoculars and field guides if available.

1:00pm – TICK TALK: Find out more about the tick at the Park Office and try your hand at some interesting tick trivia! This program is suitable for kids ages 5 and up. Kids, remember to bring your parents with you!

3:00pm – MASTER WEAVERS: Explore the fascinating world of the spider and make your own spider craft to take home. Meet at the Prairie View Picnic Area. This program is suitable for kids ages 5 and up. Kids, remember to bring your parents with you!

Saturday, July 26

4:00pm – HOWLING COYOTES: Join our interpreter for a brief talk about coyotes and hear a story involving this creature. Meet at the Meadow View Picnic Area. This program is suitable for kids ages 3 and up. Kids, remember to bring your parents with you!

6:00pm – NATURALIST ON THE RUN: Our interpreter will be roving the campgrounds. Find her and see what interesting things are going on at Prophetstown.

9:30pm – NIGHT GAMES: Join our interpreter and your fellow campers for some fun nighttime activities! Meet at the Prairie Coneflower Shelter.

Sunday, July 27

10:00am – DELIGHTFUL DRAGONFLIES: Learn about dragonflies and make your own to take home! This program is suitable for kids ages 3 and up. Meet at Meadow View. Kids, remember to bring your parents with you!

1:00pm – SLIMY SALAMANDERS: Join our interpreter for a short talk about salamanders and make your own to take home. This program is suitable for kids ages 3 and up. Meet at the Meadow View Picnic Area. Kids, remember to bring your parents with you!

3:00pm – WHO LEFT IT?: Come and hear about all the interesting things you can learn from scat! Meet at the Prairie View Picnic Area. This program is suitable for kids ages 5 and up. Kids, remember to bring your parents with you!